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### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### **Health Resources and Services Administration**

## **National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program;**

### **List of Petitions Received**

**AGENCY:** Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** HRSA is publishing this notice of petitions received under the National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program (the program), as required by the Public Health Service (PHS) Act, as amended. While the Secretary of HHS is named as the respondent in all proceedings brought by the filing of petitions for compensation under the Program, the United States Court of Federal Claims is charged by statute with responsibility for considering and acting upon the petitions.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For information about requirements for filing petitions, and the program in general, contact Lisa L. Reyes, Acting Clerk, United States Court of Federal Claims, 717 Madison Place, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005, (202) 357-6400. For information on HRSA's role in the program, contact the Director, National Vaccine Injury

Compensation Program, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 08N146B, Rockville, MD 20857; (301) 443-6593, or visit our website at: http://www.hrsa.gov/vaccinecompensation/index.html.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The program provides a system of no-fault compensation for certain individuals who have been injured by specified childhood vaccines. Subtitle 2 of Title XXI of the PHS Act, 42 U.S.C. 300aa-10 et seq., provides that those seeking compensation are to file a petition with the U.S. Court of Federal Claims and to serve a copy of the petition on the Secretary of HHS, who is named as the respondent in each proceeding. The Secretary has delegated this responsibility under the program to HRSA. The Court is directed by statute to appoint special masters who take evidence, conduct hearings as appropriate, and make initial decisions as to eligibility for, and amount of, compensation.

A petition may be filed with respect to injuries, disabilities, illnesses, conditions, and deaths resulting from vaccines described in the Vaccine Injury Table (the table) set forth at 42 CFR 100.3. This Table lists for each covered childhood vaccine the conditions that may lead to compensation and, for each condition, the time period for occurrence of the first symptom or manifestation of onset or of significant aggravation after vaccine administration. Compensation may also be awarded for conditions not listed in the Table and for conditions that are manifested outside the time periods specified in the Table, but only if the petitioner shows that the condition was caused by one of the listed vaccines.

Section 2112(b)(2) of the PHS Act, 42 U.S.C. 300aa-12(b)(2), requires that "[w]ithin 30 days after the Secretary receives service of any petition filed under section 2111 the Secretary shall

publish notice of such petition in the Federal Register." Set forth below is a list of petitions received by HRSA on July 1, 2017, through July 31, 2017. This list provides the name of petitioner, city and state of vaccination (if unknown then city and state of person or attorney filing claim), and case number. In cases where the Court has redacted the name of a petitioner and/or the case number, the list reflects such redaction.

Section 2112(b)(2) also provides that the special master "shall afford all interested persons an opportunity to submit relevant, written information" relating to the following:

- 1. The existence of evidence "that there is not a preponderance of the evidence that the illness, disability, injury, condition, or death described in the petition is due to factors unrelated to the administration of the vaccine described in the petition," and
- 2. Any allegation in a petition that the petitioner either:
  - a. "[S]ustained, or had significantly aggravated, any illness, disability, injury, or condition not set forth in the Vaccine Injury Table but which was caused by" one of the vaccines referred to in the Table, or
  - b. "[S]ustained, or had significantly aggravated, any illness, disability, injury, or condition set forth in the Vaccine Injury Table the first symptom or manifestation of the onset or significant aggravation of which did not occur within the time period set forth in the Table but which was caused by a vaccine" referred to in the Table.

In accordance with Section 2112(b)(2), all interested persons may submit written information

relevant to the issues described above in the case of the petitions listed below. Any person

choosing to do so should file an original and three (3) copies of the information with the Clerk of

the U.S. Court of Federal Claims at the address listed above (under the heading "For Further

Information Contact"), with a copy to HRSA addressed to Director, Division of Injury

Compensation Programs, Healthcare Systems Bureau, 5600 Fishers Lane, 08N146B, Rockville,

MD 20857. The Court's caption (Petitioner's Name v. Secretary of HHS) and the docket number

assigned to the petition should be used as the caption for the written submission. Chapter 35 of

title 44, United States Code, related to paperwork reduction, does not apply to information

required for purposes of carrying out the program.

Dated: August 28, 2017.

George Sigounas,

Administrator.

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## **List of Petitions Filed**

1. Houston Byrd, Jr.

Heath, Ohio

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0900V

2. Jacquelyn M. Will

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0904V

3. Christine Midnight

Albuquerque, New Mexico

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0905V

4. Beth Nemechek

Greeley, Colorado

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0907V

5. Patricia Woolf

Cheyenne, Wyoming

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0908V

6. Marie Schmidt

Naperville, Illinois

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0913V

7. Richard K. Parker

Richmond, Virginia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0917V

8. Ronald Skrajner

Aurora, Ohio

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0918V

9. Anita Javorski

Mankato, Minnesota

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0919V

10. Jose Solis Marin

Washington, District of Columbia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0920V

11. Lavell Maize

Boston, Massachusetts

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0921V

12. Ronald Patrick

Stuart, Florida

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0922V

13. Amy Mehl

Memphis, Tennessee

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0923V

14. Jennifer Stracick on behalf of H. S.

St. Petersburg, Florida

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0924V

## 15. Rebecca Curl

Winder, Georgia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0925V

## 16. Martin McGrail and Amy McGrail on behalf of S. M.

Neptune, New Jersey

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0926V

## 17. Elizabeth Evans

New York, New York

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0929V

# 18. Arthur M. Flowers, III

West Columbia, South Carolina

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0930V

# 19. Donna Ducey

Colleyville, Texas

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0933V

## 20. Mary Orloski

Lewiston, Maine

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0936V

## 21. Yvonne Simpson

Washington, District of Columbia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0944V

## 22. Leslie Questel on behalf of J. M.

Big Bear, California

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0946V

### 23. Erwin Casazza

Springfield, New Jersey

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0947V

## 24. Tracie Johanek

Washington, District of Columbia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0948V

## 25. Kimberly Holway

Seattle, Washington

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0949V

## 26. Livania Zavala, M.D. and Nelson J. Spinetti, M.D. on behalf of A. S.

Edinburg, Texas

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0951V

### 27. Fred A. Stover

Spring Mills, Pennsylvania

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0952V

# 28. Justin M. Gillespie

Waupun, Wisconsin

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0953V

## 29. Kevin McGuinness

Dade City, Florida

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0954V

# 30. Kathleen Peddycord Wilson

Raleigh, North Carolina

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0955V

31. Jamie Gardner

Camp Hill, Pennsylvania

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0959V

32. Sharifah Wilson

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0960V

33. William Brown

Vienna, Virginia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0961V

34. Karen Adams

Washington, District of Columbia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0963V

35. Stephen E. Antisdel

Buchanan, Michigan

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0964V

36. Jennifer Gregorino

Chattanooga, Tennessee

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0965V

37. Rowena Adcox

Bowling Green, Kentucky

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0966V

## 38. Lisa Workman

Washington, District of Columbia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0967V

## 39. Mary Jane De La Pena

Sacramento, California

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0971V

## 40. Mary Duncan

Washington, District of Columbia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0972V

# 41. Cindy Gilliam

Washington, District of Columbia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0974V

# 42. Jeffrey Braden

St. Louis, Missouri

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0975V

## 43. Janice Condara

Sugar Land, Texas

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0977V

# 44. George Kennedy

Austin, Texas

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0978V

## 45. Daphne Lattimer

Groveport, Ohio

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0980V

### 46. Linda Harris

Washington, District of Columbia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0981V

## 47. Kent Kemmerer

Willoughby, Ohio

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0982V

## 48. Casey Humphreys on behalf of E. H.

Jasper, Arkansas

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0983V

## 49. Deborah Langer

Dallas, Texas

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0984V

### 50. Allison Menard

Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0985V

### 51. William Nischbach

Washington, District of Columbia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0986V

## 52. Tzipora Lefkowitz on behalf of M. L.

New Square, New York

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0987V

### 53. Sara Torres-Ruiz

Palmdale, California

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0988V

54. Jason Quirino

Boston, Massachusetts

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0989V

55. Barbara Stoliker

Ventura, California

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0990V

56. Natalie Ben-Shoshan

Dallas, Texas

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0991V

57. Patricia Pendergrass

Washington, District of Columbia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0992V

58. Jamie Miller

Baltimore, Maryland

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0993V

59. Regina Stenberg

Washington, District of Columbia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0994V

60. Cheri Lang

Washington, District of Columbia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-0995V

# 61. Cheryl Conkle

Boston, Massachusetts

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1001V

## 62. Angela Dieter

Mount Joy, Pennsylvania

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1002V

## 63. Romana Estes

Boston, Massachusetts

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1003V

## 64. Anne Knudson

Phillips, Wisconsin

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1004V

# 65. Miguel Leal, Jr.

Wyoming, Michigan

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1008V

## 66. Kimberly Settle

Thomasville, North Carolina

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1009V

# 67. Sapna Kadakia

Washington, District of Columbia

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1011V

## 68. Ricky Buras

Hattiesburg, Mississippi

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1012V

69. Ellisa Morine

Chicago, Illinois

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1013V

70. Margaret Rogers

Dresher, Pennsylvania

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1014V

71. Michael Anderson

Dresher, Pennsylvania

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1017V

72. Robert Wechsler

Dresher, Pennsylvania

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1018V

73. Geraldine Petrocelli

Monroe, New York

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1019V

74. Kevin McKenna

Rochester Hills, Michigan

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1021V

75. Albert Parsons

Wartburg, Tennessee

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1022V

76. Cynthia Hackney

San Antonio, Texas

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1027V

77. Barbara Sakovits

Dresher, Pennsylvania

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1028V

78. Sheryl Attig

Greenville, South Carolina

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1029V

79. Patricia Anton

Dresher, Pennsylvania

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1031V

80. Tasha Lee and Jose Botello on behalf of A. B.

Beverly Hills, California

Court of Federal Claims No: 17-1032V

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